

CONSERVATION ADVISORY PANEL

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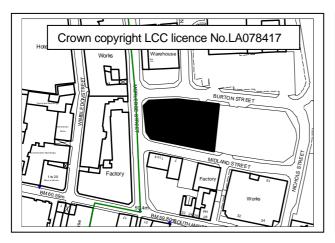
CURRENT DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS

Report of the Service Director, Planning & Policy

A) MORLEDGE STREET Planning Application 20060783 Digital Media Centre

This site is just outside the St George's Conservation Area.

This application is for a new five-storey building for a digital media centre with flats. It will replace the Phoenix Theatre facility currently on Upper Brown Street plus additional workshop space.

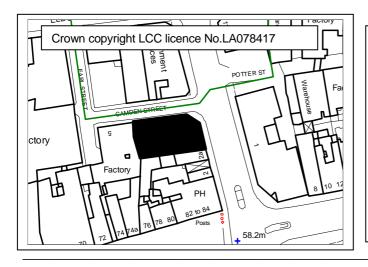




B) 4-6 WHARF STREET SOUTH, 1-3 CAMDEN STREET Planning Application 20060860 Redevelopment

This site is within the St George's Conservation Area.

This application is for the change of use of the first and second floors of the buildings from a factory to twelve self-contained flats. The proposal involves a two-storey extension and alterations to the ground floor retail shop.

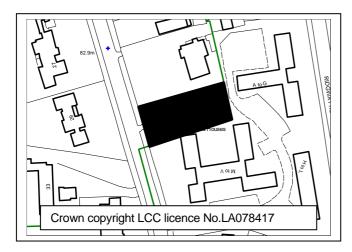




C) 34 ELMS ROAD Planning Application 20060902 Change of use and new garage

The building is within the Stoneygate Conservation Area.

An application for the demolition of the existing student accommodation and the redevelopment of the site with 19 houses was presented to the Panel in April. This application is for the conversion of one of the 19th century houses used for student accommodation back to a single dwelling. The proposal involves a new garage built using painted brick and Swithland slates to match the main house and new 1.8 metre high railings and gates.

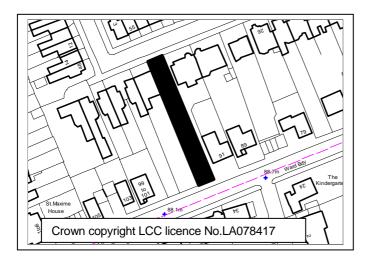




D) 34 SPRINGFIELD ROAD Planning Application 20060946 One house

The proposal is within the Stoneygate Conservation Area

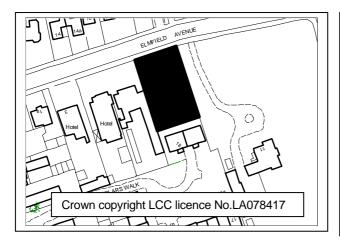
This application is for a new detached dwelling house to the rear of the building which, if built, will face Avenue Road. The Panel have made observations on similar applications for backland developments over the years.



E) 9 ELMFIELD AVENUE, Planning Application 20061021 Change of use to flats, extensions

The building is within the Stoneygate Conservation Area and affects the setting of the former Stoneygate School, a Grade II listed building.

This Victorian house (c.1880) was in use as part of the Stoneygate School until the land was developed and the main school building converted to flats. An application (20060470) for the conversion of the building to five self-contained flats involving a first floor rear extension and alterations to the roof was considered at the April meeting. The application was refused as per the Panel's recommendation. This application is a revised scheme.

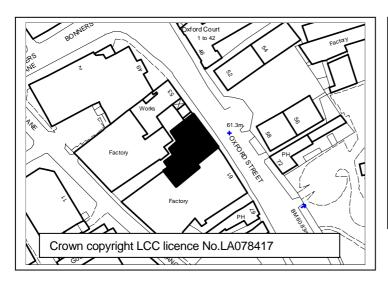




F) 55 OXFORD STREET Planning Application 20060772 Demolition and redevelopment

The building is on the local list as is the adjacent late Victorian factory. No 55 is a 1930's building with some nice Art Deco touches and a Swithland slate roof. Together with the adjacent late Victorian factory it forms an unusual but interesting grouping.

This application is for the demolition of the existing 1930s building and the redevelopment of the site with a new five-storey building for 22 flats with basement car park.

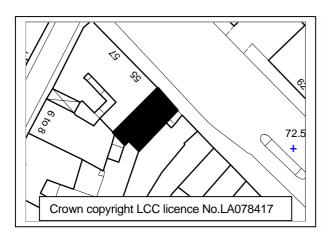




G) 59 LONDON ROAD Planning Application 20060817 New access ramp

This building is within the South Highfields Conservation Area.

This application is for an access ramp to the main front entrance of the building. It will be located within the front garden space and mostly concealed from the street scene by the existing front walls and railings.

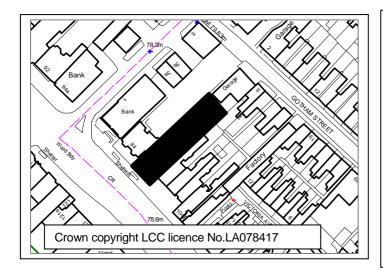




H) 96 LONDON ROAD Planning Application 20060808 Retention of external alterations

This building is within the South Highfields Conservation Area.

This is a fine Italianate styled building dating from the mid Victorian era. The most prominent feature on the building was its grand porch with Corinthian columns supporting a robust entablature, which was removed without consent. The foliate capitals on the columns were an integral part of the character of this building and they are also used extensively in the window details on the first floor. This application is for a new plainer styled porch made from Haddenstone which has already been built and, other external alterations.

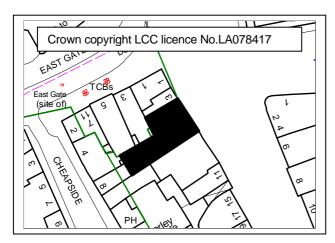




I) 3-5 GALLOWTREE GATE Listed Building Consent 20060899, Advertisement Consent 20060898 Replacement internally illuminated projecting sign

This building is the Thomas Cook Building built in 1894, designed by Goddard and Paget and Grade II listed.

This application is for a new internally illuminated projecting sign to the front fascia of the building. The sign replaces an existing one.

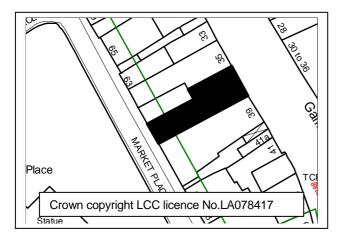




J) 37 GALLOWTREE GATE, MARKET PLACE Advertisement Consent 20060960 New signs

The rear of the building is Grade II listed and is within the Market Place Conservation Area.

This building has frontages onto both Market Place and Gallowtree Gate but only the Market Place elevation is listed and within the conservation area. This application is for a new fascia and projecting signs to replace the existing ones.

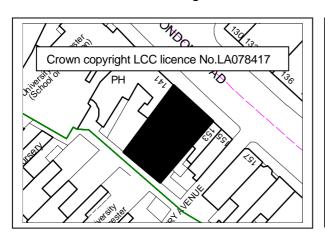




K) 151 LONDON ROAD Planning Application 20060805 Change of use from place of worship to restaurant

This building is within the South Highfields Conservation Area and was formerly a place of worship. The property was recently sold at auction.

The Panel considered an application for a change of use to three hot food takeaway units and new shopfronts at the April meeting. This is a revised scheme for change of use to a restaurant involving new windows and entrance doors.

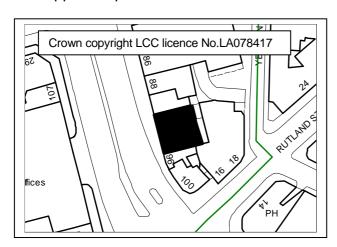




L) 92-94 CHARLES STREET Planning Application 20060787 Retention of rooftop extension

The building is on the local list.

This application is for the retention of a roof top extension built to a different design to the approved plans.

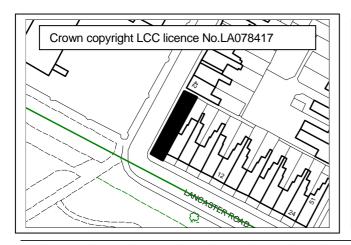




M) 2 LANCASTER ROAD Planning Application 20060857 New windows

The building is within the New Walk Conservation Area and is covered by an Article 4 Direction.

This application is for new uPVC windows to the rear of the building.

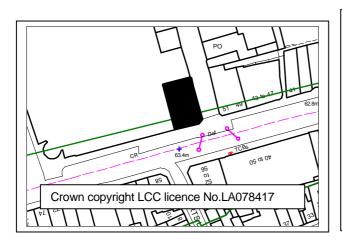




N) UNIT 73 THE SHIRES HIGH STREET Adertisement Consent 20060859 Banner signs

The building is within the High Street Conservation Area.

This application is for two banner signs at first floor level.

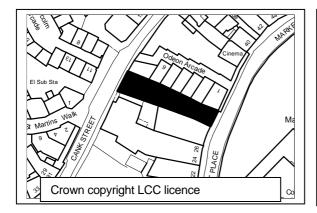




O) 30 MARKET PLACE, 28 CANK STREET Planning Application 20060765 & Advertisement Consent 20060766 New shopfront & signs

This building is within the Market Place Conservation Area.

This building has frontages on both Market Place and Cank Street. These applications are for new signage to the Market Place elevation and a new shopfront to the Cank Street elevation.

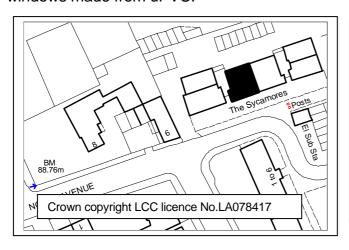




P) 4 NORTH AVENUE, Planning Application 20060829 New windows

The building is within the Stoneygate Conservation Area.

This is a post war block of flats known as the Sycamores. This application is for new windows made from uPVC.

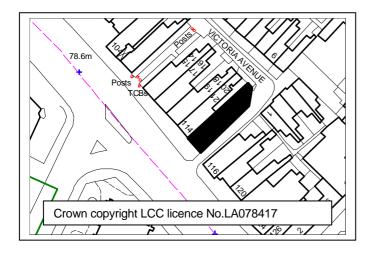




Q) 114A LONDON ROAD Planning Application 20060880 Gate to rear

This building is within the South Highfields Conservation Area.

This application is for a new gate to the rear of the building. The gate will be seen from Victoria Avenue.



The following applications are reported for Members' information and will not be presented unless a specific request is made by 12.00 noon on Monday 26th June 2006. Contact Jeremy Crooks or Judith Carstairs (tel. 252 7296 or 252 7218) (minicom 252 7222).

R) 100 HIGH STREET Planning Application 20060804 Change of use

The building is within the High Street Conservation Area.

This application is for the change of use of the building. No external alterations are intended.

S) 44 FOSSE ROAD CENTRAL Planning Application 20060802 Change of use

The building is covered by an Article 4 Direction and within the Daneshill Conservation Area.

This application is for the change of use of the building from two to four flats. No external alterations are intended.

T) 25 GOTHAM STREET Planning Application 20060856 Replacement rear windows

The building is within the South Highfields Conservation Area and is covered by an Article 4 Direction.

This application is for the replacement of the rear windows with similarly proportioned ones of uPVC.

U) 4 OXFORD AVENUE

Planning Application 20060877 Rooflights

The building is within the Evington Footpath Conservation Area and is covered by an Article 4 Direction.

This application is for two conservation style roof lights to the rear of the house.

V) 104 KNIGHTON ROAD Planning Application 20060894 Rear dormer window

The building is within the Knighton Village Conservation Area.

This application is for a rear dormer window.

W) 34 LINCOLN STREET Planning Application 20060855 Replacement rear windows and door

The building is within the South Highfields Conservation Area and is covered by an Article 4 Direction.

This application is for the replacement of the rear windows and door with similarly proportioned ones of uPVC.